I. Resolution of the 38th Session, Jadavpur (Calcutta), 16-18 November,1967

Further to the information placed before the Commission at its 44th and earlier sessions on the resolutions and recommendations of the 38th to 44th sessions, replies received from the State Governments, Universities, Learned Institutions and others are summarised below:

Resolution X: The Commission resolves that all necessary steps be taken by the Regional Records Survey Committees and the State Archives to find out which business houses or private businessmen are willing to make their records available for research, prepare a preliminary inventory of such records, and help in their arrangement and preservation.

Tamil Nadu: The resolution will be referred to the Regional Committee of Historical Records after its reconstitution.

II. Resolutions of the 40th Session, Madras, 18-20 February, 1970.

Resolution VIII: The Commission resolves that to facilitate the consultation of records preserved by them the Records Repositories of the State Governments be requested to prepare and publish consolidated guides to their pre-Independence records.

Jammu & Kashmir: The scheme is still under the consideration of the Government.

Punjab: A guide to the records available in this repository has already been prepared and copies of the same have been sent to several academic institutions.

Karnataka: Action is being taken to prepare consolidated guides pertaining to the pre-Independence records.

Resolution IX: To facilitate genuine research work at the State Archives, the Commission resolves to recommend to the State Governments to dispense with the scrutiny of excerpts taken by research scholars from all 'open' records.

Jammu & Kashmir: Historical Research Rules have not been amended as yet and the suggestion will be considered as and when the amendments in th existing rules are made.